

Charter Review Board Comment / Question

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QUESTION / COMMENT

The following corrects and expands on the recommendation to establish Chartered Communities it was item six of suggested changes. It recommends that communities be given the option to be a _____ Chartered Community, for example The Davis Islands Chartered Community see Charter Counties and Chartered Cities. A [Camelot] Community Charter for example empowers communities to manage their community, to plan, zone, develop and grow according to their plan. In regard to a formation - with this new form of community governance - if a community so elects to be Chartered - to have a Community Charter - its form of governance would fall between the two forms: 1. Cities - Counties and 2. Civic Associations. A Chartered Community would have powers given to it by the Hillsborough County Charter to plan and manage their community to the extent by law that the County powers they can legally give them and to the extent of empowerment that the community wants. Any major decision that is challenged by minority in the chartered community or other parties would require the County Commissioners to intercede. The HCBOCC would use a super majority approve and support, or override the communities plans and programs. Camelot Florida would like to be invited by any association or community board of directors to their BOD or general meetings to discuss the pro and cons of being a Chartered Community. We would also like to present the Camelot Community Charter to the Review Board.

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